DOTH MR. RANDOLPH'S BIG DOG AND A "COMMITTEE" HEARD FROM.

The Committee Makes Innumerable Anonymous Complaints Without Much Success—A Reporter's Experiences in Hunting for the Dog—Some Good Advice for the Puture Guidance of the Committee.

To the Editor of the World:

It seems that we cannot get any nuisance abated in New York without the aid of the press. We therefore appeal to you to call the attention of the authorities to the howling of a very large dog in West Twenty-account attest. We have complained to the Chiptain of the preciant, the Supermendent of Police, Police Commissioners, the Mayor, and lastly to the Board of Health without effect. We are a committee of the residents of the block bounded by Sixth and Seventh avenues, and this dog annoys the entire square. Please advise us. Respectfully.

THE WORLD is ever ready to put its shoulder to the wheel and shove along any public measure which it conceives to be for the advancement of public interests, and it has vancement of public interests, and it has done its best in this case.

A reporter went up into the neighborhood where insomnia was destroying the people, and many valuable pieces of personal property were being wasted as missiles. He began his work with the firm determination to reason quietly with the owner of the offending large dog and convince him that it was his duty to reduce the animal to sausage meat. He considered this an easy matter, as there was so much of argument.

The dog was said to be a large one, and of course this meant a larger revenue to be gained from him as sausage meat to begin with, and then his hide night be made up into a supply of shoes or kid gloves for the whole family for a year. His teeth could be utilized for scarf-pins and watch-charms, and his head would probably be just the thing as an ornament for the next season's bonnet of the mistress of the manse, if the prevailing fashion continued to enlarge its scope for a few months longer.

There are only about eighty houses in Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, the affected region, and the scribe rang the first bell enthusiastically.

Oh, yes; they had a dog. But right in the midst of the reporter's argument the lady of the house interrupted him with "You hatefut old thing! Our Prince never howled nor disturbed anybody." She would join a committee if she had a chance. And just then an aged, blind and very adipose terrier groped its way into the room.

Of course that ended the argument, and the philanthropical newspaper man withdrew after having obtained the information that there were twenty dogs of high and low degree in the block, and that most of them howled.

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At the next house an elderly spinster said spitefully: "No, I haven't any dog. I hate dogs. I like cats best."

A twitching of the third-door bell brought a big man in his shirt sleeves to the door, and he remarked, politely, but with more emphasis than seemed at all necessary, that it was none of the reporter's business whether he kept a dog or not.

No. 4 had no dog but would like one, and finally confessed the possession of a spaniel when he learned that the visitor was not a tax assessor. He had been disturbed by the whining of a red setter dog in the back yard of one of the Twenty-first street houses. He had not made any complaint and did not belong to "the committee." He had tried firing a bit of tenderloin with strychnine in it over the back fence, but found no relief.

No, 5 had two pugs, three cats and a parrot. People had said mean things about the unchristian-like conversation of the parrot, but nobody could say aught against the pugs, although the cats sometimes received bouquets and bootjacks in response to their octets with some wicked felines in the neighborhood. They had not heard of any committee, but knew that there was a beastly mongrel pug somewhere on the block which yelped every night, and if they could locate him they would give him a button.

No. 6 had had a sweet little yellow dog which they got in the country last summer, but those nasty dog-catchers had snatched it away from their hearthstone a month ago, and the thirty days' mourning still remained in memorium of the departed ki-yi. They liked dogs, and the murmur of a coach-dog in the yard of the house opposite—in Twenty-first street—ulled them to sleep each night. They would not have anything to do with an absting committee.

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No. 7 was not at home, but the servant girl said that she had been kept awake by a din in the next house, but thought it was a man just learning to play on the violin.

No. 8 had not heard of "the committee," but said that there was a crank in No. 11 who objected to the practice of a preacher in the next house of rehearsing his sermons, because he could not hear himself play on the accordion. He had no fault to find except that Mrs. Smith's "young uns," in the house back of his, had a racket going on all the time, and the eldest Miss Smith banged away on her piano so much at night that he really could never hear a dog if he howled like thunder.

The scribe's muscle was giving out, but he tried one more house. It was the home of John Chamberlin, Mr. Chamberlin, a fine-looking old gentleman, was just emerging. He said that there was a very large dog next door—a St. Bernard. It was the property of Anson D. F. Randolph, the fine old silver. gray publisher of Twenty-third street. It sometimes howled for an instant, but was hardly a nuisance. Mr. Randolph had lived there for six years, and Mr. Chamberlin and his family had lost no sleep.

Mr. Randolph was next called upon. He smiled pleasantly when the scribe told his errand and said: "Yes, yes! That is an old story." Then he added, sagerly: "Do you know the complainant?"

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Randolph. "After a moment he said:
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"About ten months ago a sergeant from the
Nineteenth Precinct came to our house to investigate a complaint made by a man who did
not leave his name. Two weeks later a man
from Police Headquarters looked up the
reputation of my dog in the block. He said
that the complainant had left no name. A
little after him came a man from the Board of
Health to satisfy himself of the truth of an
anonymous complaint. Then Mayor Hewitt
received an anonymous complaint against
our dog and another officer "investigated."
Capt. Reilly looked into our case once, but
knew nothing about the complainant.
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"Each time we satisfied the officers that the dog was no nuisance, at least. I engaged Detective Kersenger to ascertain the identity of the complainant, but he was unable to do so unless it was an advertising agent who lives some distance from me in Twenty-first street, and who found fault with the dogs of the block generally.

"Last summer my son was out of town, the dog accompanying him. On the day of his return in the fall an anonymous complaint against our dog was received by me, and I received one each day for six weeks.

"The dog is what is known as a Louville or Pyrenees species of St. Bernard. He is a home dog, a pet. He sleeps in the hall outside my son's chamber, and is never out of the house more than fifteen minutes at a time. Like all of his species, he emits a short howl—say thirty seconds long—when hungry, and that occurs perhaps eight times a week."

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The investigation stopped here. The Wosen is prepared to "advise" "the committee" as follows:

First—Remove the crank.

Second—Oil the temper of the anonymous

complainant.

Third—Screw up courage enough, if you have a real grievance and not a dyspeptic's stomach, to make complaint where it will mean business—at Jefferson Market Police

Fourth—But before doing so, closely scru-tinize yourself and make sure that you are not a greater nuisance with your anonymous communications and "complaints" than all the score of four-footed curs in the square.

(RETAIL).

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ENLENSTEIN'S QUEER STORY.

He Charges a Steamship Company with Fraud and Ill Treatment.

Jacob Enlenstein, an aged German, who says that he lives in Pitteburg, called on Chief of Police Murphy in Jersey City this morning with a queer story.

He said that about two years ago he bought a steamship ticket for Europe from Charles Spitzer, and agent of the Red Star and Neth-

erland American lines, whose office is in Grand street, Jersey City.

He understood that he was receiving a second cabin ticket on a Red Star steamer, and paid for such. When he reached the docks he was directed to a vessel lying at the pier of the Netherlands line, which is next to that of the Red Star. He boarded the steamer, and was sent to the steerage.

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He then discovered that he was on a freight steamer and that his quarters were vile. He asked to be allowed to land, but was detained on board until the vessel sailed. The result of his treatment on board, he said, was his commitment to a hospital in Berlin as soon as he arrived in that city.

He showed the chief a discharge from the hospital, giving the date of his admission as Feb. 18, 1886, and that of his departure as Aug. 8, 1887.

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He further said that he returned to America as soon as possible. He is now anxious to obtain redress for his sufferings.

He told his story to a World reporter with considerable difficulty, as he speaks no English and is very deaf. He said that the vessel on which he sailed was the Rotterdam and that he landed at Rotterdam. The steamer named is the finest passenger vessel of the line and has been in use but one year. Before that it was the British Empire.

Enlenstein could not have sailed in it, and no freight steamer of the same name has ever been known to touch at the pier of the company.

company. Charles Spitzer, the ticket agent, says that

the man fuld \$20 for a steerage ticket that he knows nothing of what followed.

IT MAY BE BEEKMAN.

Mayor Hewitt Probably Will Appoint Him

There is every probability that Mayor Hewitt will appoint Henry R. Beekman, the present President of the Board of Aldermen. Corporation Counsel to succeed Morgan J. O'Brien, who becomes a Judge of the Su preme Court on Jan. 1. The salary of the Corporation Counsel is \$12,000 a year.

Mr. Beekman belongs to the old Beekman
family, and is reputed to have an interest in
the family estate. He is a graduate of Colum-

the ramily estate. He is a graduate of Columbia College and is a lawyer.

He is well-read in municipal law, and 4s fond of searching for legal points and the comparison of laws.

In politics he is a stanch County Democracy man. It is likely that Mayor Hewitt will appoint Mr. Beekman within a few days.

Garry Mauning Gets the Race.

WOODSBURG, L. L. Dec. 28.—The race which ended so disastrously on Monday evening at the Woodsburg Driving Park was finished yesterday sternoon. The track was inisined yeaterday afternoon. The track was covered with snow. Springfield Girl did not make her appearance. Horton and Vandewater, who were injured on Monday evening, were present in their carriages. Garry Manning won by a half length only. Shouts and huzzas followed the close of the race. The same horses will be matched again for a large sum. The record of the race is as follows: Garry Mauning 1 1 2 2
Rockaway Maid 4 3 1 1
Ajax 2 4 8 4
Springfield Girl 2 8 4 8

Mr. Thayer Banged Him in the Jaw.

BOSTON, Dec. 28.—Mr. Charles H. Thayer, and well-known theatrical man, was visited at his resilence, No. 1746 Washington street, last night by a man who evidently called with burgiarious in-tentions. Mr. Thayer was at home.

He says: 'I banged him in the jaw and nearly brove it. Then I battered his head against the mop-board and finally kicked him outdoors. He landed all in a heap and I did not know but I should be obliged to send for an ambulance, but he finally walked away without saying a word."

Betrayed by French Coins.

Michael Curtis, aged eighteen years, of 485 Greenwich street, a wagen boy for Dodd's express, was held at the Tombs to-day on a charge of having stolen a satchel belonging to Richard Rob-erts, confidential clerk to Hill Brothers, the tailors, who arrived here on Saturday. Curis was de-tected when he sold some French coins contained in the satchel. Detectives Hey and Vall, of the Steambost squad, arrested him.

Young Elks Have a Masquerade. The Young Elks' Social Club, colored, gave a masquerade ball at Lyric Hall, last night. There was a large attendance of colored people living on the west side, and many handsome and unique costumes were worn. Monroe Jackson is Presi-dent of the association and these are the other officers: Vice-President, John Hutton; Tressurer, Rafus Clark; Sergeant-st-arms, Charles Green; Chief-of-Police, Issiah Decker,

NEW YORK, 56 and 58 West 14th Street; BROOKLYN, 269 and 271 Fulton Street; PARIS, 26 Rue d'Enghien.

THEIR SEMI-ANNUAL INVENTORY, JANUARY 1st,
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LETTERS FROM THE WORKERS.

Compleints and Suggestions from the Readers of the Evening Edition of " The World." To the Editor of The World:

My husband has been out of work some months and does not seem to be able to obtain a situation. Won't some of the readers of your evening edition, which is always friendly to poor and deserving, let me know where work can be obtained?

Mrs. Parker.

West Thirty-sixth street, New York City.

Shop Women Who Dare Not Sit Down.

During the holiday time the girls in the store on Fourteenth street, in which I work have been compelled to work from 8 in the morning until 10 and 12 o'clock at night, standing all the time. There is a law to compel amployers to provide seats, but it is never enforced. It means "discharged" for any girl to be caught sitting down. What are we to do?

The Demestic's Side of It.

To the Editor of The World : I see the generous attention your evening edition gives to the affairs of the workers in this great city. But little seems to be said by anybody about the hardships and triais of domestics. There's Gail Hamilton, she's always urging the factory girls to get places as domestics and paints a very pretty picture of the delights of drudging in somebody else's home circle. Now I've been "working out" in this way for three or four years and know just what it is from experience. There are some places where a domestic gets decent treatment. But there are a great many more where she is overworked, underpaid and abused. Sometimes she is insulted. Many a poor girl could tell a tale that fwould make a sensation for some of the so-called best families. And many, very many domestics work hard from dsylight way into the night, and so on, day after day, with never a word of thanks or encouragement. There's a long story, Mr. Editor, of the domestics' side of the case, and about all most of the newspapers ever print is a lot of "chestnuts" about the way the girls are supposed to order the mistress about! I am glad that your evening paper is giving the other side of the case a fair show.

Dec. 27, Thirteenth street, New York. anybody about the hardships and trials of

Hard to Get Wages Due. The way that some of the mistresses neglect to pay their help is just disgraceful. Going on six months I've been working at my pres

on six months I've been working at my present place, and five months' wages are due me. The lady's husband is a clerk at City Hall and gets \$2,500 a year. Yet he says I'll have to wait for my \$2.50 a week. Something or other always comes up so I can't get my money. At election time it was some kind of assessment that made him short. Lately it's been Christmas presents. What can a poor girl do?

Dec. 27. Injustice to a Salesgirl.

To the Editor of The World : I am working in a little notion store or Fourteenth street. My employer promised me liberal pay—\$6 a week—that seems big to me. But he don't give me hardly anything. He sits in a back office, smokes high priced cigars and drinks beer all day, and when I ask him for my money he puts me off from day to day. He owes me for three weeks now. It costs so much to go to law that I don't know which way to turn. S. A. E.

Harsh Rules Enforced.

To the Editor of The World: Now that the rush of the holiday season is over, why can't the storekeepers give us overworked girls a little consideration? They might at least let us sit down at the counters. But no! the moment a tired girl drops into a chair the eagle eye of the floor-walker is upon her. If she doesn't get up at once, she's reprimanded. And if she doesn't get up then, why she's at once reported, and stands a good chance of being discharged. There ought to be a little more of the milk of human kindness about the managers of these big stores.

MAEY R. over, why can't the storekeepers give us these big stores. Sixth Avenue, New York.

I am much interested in the accounts in your evening editions about the overworked and the unemployed. Of course the latter are worse off than the former, but it is a hard struggle for bread for us all.

Dec. 27.

JOHN RICHARDS.

Are the Times Presperous ?

To the Edutor of The World: With 100,000 men and women in this city wanting work and unable to get it, it seems arcasm for the papers to be continually con gratulating everybody on the prosperous times. Everything may be booming along Broadway and Fifth avenue, but how about the great districts on the cast and west sides? Dec. 26. O'DONNELL GOT OFF EASILY.

Charges Against Jachue's First Randon Readily Explained Away.

Joseph O'Donnell, Jachne's first bondsman, and who keeps the saloon at the corner of Twenty-fourth street and Sixth avenue, was arraigned in the Jefferson Market Police Court to-day upon two charges-with keeping a disorderly house and violating the Excise

Detectives Cooper and Tappan, of Supt. Murray's office, made the complaints. Detective Tappan testified that he went to O'Donnell's with a woman and was entertained there. Counsel for O'Donnell said that the whole matter was a conspiracy on the part of the police, and read the following statement by O'Donnell:

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1 am not guilty of keeping a disorderly house. The notel register will show that my guests are regular, like any other licensed hotel. I nave a notel-keeper's license and pay \$200 yearly for it. This Detective Tappan registered at my hotel with a woman whom he represented as his wife, and believing she was his wife, and not knowing to the contrary, with this precaution the cierk gave him the key of his room.

When I was arrested last night I'offered the police the keys of the house. I have kept a hotel for fourteen years, and this is the first time I have been charged with such an offense.

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Upon this charge the complaint was dismissed and O'Donnell was discharged. He was held in \$100 bail for violating the Excise Law. His bartender, Charles Monroe, was also held in \$100 for a similar offense.

This raid by Supt. Murray in Capt. Reilley's precinct has revived the question of a general transfer of police captains. Capt. Reilley wants to be transferred from the Nineteenth, but a deadlock in the Beard, in, fluenced, it is said, by the clamor of politicians, prevents it and destroys discipline in the force.

Maurice J. Power is reported to be the chief agent in retaining Capt. Reilley in the Nineteenth,

Is This an Elevated Road Scheme? Suburban Rapid Transit Company to take ground Saburban Rapid Transit Company to take ground on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, between Second and Third avenues, to be used as a storage place for rolling stock.

The Petition for the appointment of Commissioners to appraise the value of the land has been also granted. This petition has been strenuously opposed by the property owners, who claim that this ground is really to be used by the Manhattan Elevated Rollroad to connect the Second and Third avenue lines.

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The Commissioners appointed are John Whalen, Hugh N. Camp, Charles C. Leary, Thomas Coman and E. B. Fellows. They are to hold seasons at 40 and 49 Wall street. No date has been fixed for first hearing.

Gounsel for property owners objected very strongly to the appointment of Mr. Camp, on the ground that he was in the employ of the Manhattan Elevated Railroad as an appraiser.

Lots of Hemp Sold. Edward H. Brundage, the New York selling agent of John T. Bailey & Co., of Philadelphia, old through Woodrow & Lewis, the auctioneer to-day, the large yearly shipment of the firm of twines and cordage, at 14 Jay street. The sale intwines and cordage, at 14 Jay street. The sale inclinded 86s lots of goods. There were present, besides Chris Bailey, of the firm, William Allen, of A. H. Hart & Co.; K. A. Hartshorn, of the Cable Flax Mills, of Troy; Ross, Turner & Co.; of Boston; Henry C. Kelley, A. F. Reid, S. H. Roberts, H. B. Buckman, James Thompson & Co., C. C. Van Dyke, of Philadelphia; Coyle & Coyle, of Philadelphia; C. W. Nawrath and Travers Bros. The sale realized about \$20,000, the prices ganging high on account of the high price of hehip. To-night Mr. Brundage will entertain the buyers at the Metropolitan Hotel.

Boston's Increase of Crime. [SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.] BOSTON, Dec. 28.—Regarding the reported

crease of crime in this city, particularly in the matter of burglaries and garroting, Gov. Ames

matter of burglaries and garroting, Gov. Ames said to The World correspondent:

"I have received no efficial information that crime is on the increase. I don't see that I can do anything about it."

The Police Commissioners deny that there has been any notable increase in either the number or magnitude of criminal operations in Boston.

The appointment of the Commissioners now rests with the Governor, the offices having been taken from the city by the state Legislature a few years ago. Naturally enough the Commissioners think the city is well protected. Very Damp, but Very Drunk.

Cornelius Leary, of No. 57 Chariton street, wes to Jersey City yesterday morning and got drunk by evening. He rell into the river off the dock of the Scranton Coal Company late at night. The night watchman heard the splash and went to his aid in a stiff.

Leary was pulled out very damp but still very drunk and was arrested and locked up until this morning, when he was released by Justice Stillsing.

Oblituary Notes.
The Rev. John Mulien died at St. Vincent's Hospital yesterday.

Thomas Wallace, ex-champion billiardist, died is The Rev. James Powell, D. D., Corresponding to creatury of the American Missionary Association, ited anodenly of apoplexy yes erday, at his resilence in Brooklyn.

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Robert R. Lear, a member of the Stock Exchange firm of J. F. Mead & Co., died just before noon yesterday.

Capt. Stephen G. Sluyter, who had command of the steamer Victoria, which hald the Atlantic cable in 1838, died in Hartford as midnight on Monday.

TO-MORROW.

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TO OBSERVE THE BIG JUBILEE.

St. Patrick's Church, at Verplanck's, to Have a Parade and a Display of Fireworks-Not alone the wealthier congregations of the Catholic Church will celebrate the Golden Jubilee of the Pope, but many that are not so pretentious in their towering spires and costly altar pieces will remember the occasion with fitting ceremony.

Among these is St. Patrick's Church, of Verplanck's, N. Y., of which the Rev. Father Mee is the pastor.

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On the morning of Dec. 31, at 9 o'clock, high mass will be celebrated, after which a parade will be formed composed of St. Patrick's Benevolent Association, the Ancient Order of Hibernians and other of the church societies, as well as every able-bodied member of the congregation. Pastor Mee and the Rev. Father Caliaghan, of Peekskill, will participate in the parade. The evening will be devoted to a grand dis-

Wanted to Kill His Stepson. Matthew Kyle, aged forty-six years, who made s murderous attack upon Cornelius D. Sullivan last night in front of 68 Little Twelfth street, with an axe, was arraigned in the Jefferson Market Police Court this morning and held to await the result of Sullivan's injuries.

When Kyle saw that he had attacked Sullivan he said: "I am sorry that I struck the wrong man. I thought it was my stepson whom I intended to kill." Sullivan is in St. Vincent's riospital with a fractured and

actured akult. A Brakeman in Hard Luck. [SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.] BORDENTOWN, Dec. 28. - Howard Barker, of this city, employed as a brakeman on the Pennsylvania

Railroad, had a hand badly crushed here last night while coupling cars. TELEGRAPHIC NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mr. W. W. Corcoran has presented \$1,000 to the Confederate Home in Charleston, S. C. Thomas Wallace, the professional billiard-player, died in Baltimore yesterday of bronchitis. Lord Lansdowne while skating in Ottawa yester-day fell on the ice and received painful injuries to

his read.

Miss Phœbe Cousins has announced herself as an independent Prohibition candidate for Governor of Missouri in the coming campaign.

Hawaiian advices report that the King has vetoed three more bills. This action has created great indignation throughout the kingdom.

Another blizzard is raging throughout the West.
The thermometer at Muncapolis registered 15
degrees below zero yesterosy morning.
A rival of the Mammoth Cave has been found on
the farm of Benjamin Wilson, near Bloomfeld.
Ky. The cave is fully seven miles in extent, and
contains many relics of the cave man.

John Kells, the middle wight prefilet of Palls John Kelly, the middle-weight puglist, of Phila-deiphia, has challenged Dominick McCaffrey to fight, under any rules he may choose, either for a purse or for the benefit of the striking miners.

Nathan Held, a negro living near Macon, Ga., murdered his wife and aix children Monday night and then fired the house, which was destroyed. Held afterwards leaped into a well and was Judge Charles Allen, of the Massachusetts Su-preme Court, refused to grant a new trial in the Codman will case. The verdict of the jury, oreak-ing the will and restoring the property to Mrs. Cod-man will therefore stand.

Rev. O. T. Gifford, the most prominent Baptist dergyman in New England, has created some excitizent in New England, has created some ex-citizent in church circles by espousing the theories offlienry George. He will address the Anti-Poverty society in Boston next Sunday.

A suit has been begun in the Washington courts against De Grassie Buikley, for the annulment of his recent runaway marriage with Bessle G. Hillyer. It is believed that the parents of Miss Hillyer have forced her to enter the suit.

A number of roughs snowballed Mr. Gladstone at Dover yesterday while on his way to the Continent. The Times, referring to the affair, says that it was a discreditable affair, though Gladstonlass set the example by their doings at Unionist meetings.

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Found Inconscious in the Street. The West Thirty-seventh street police at mid night found a man whose name is unknown to them lying unconscious in the hallway of 52s. Tenth avenue. They sent him to Roosevelt Hospital. He was about sixty years old, with dark halr and chin whiskers and wore a dark cap, a suit of dark elothing and gray underwear.

Paul Linzer, a German milkman, of 1076 Tenth avenue, who was arrested on Monday for disorderly conduct and committed for five days in Harlem Police Court, died at Harlem Hospital last night in alcoholic defirium. Linzer was thirty-eight years old and married.

Driven Back by a Terrific Wind. The American bark Antonio Sala sailed for Cube last night. This morning she returned to the upper bay. Her skipper states that a terrific wind storm prevails at ses. It blew very hard at midnight and necessitated the vessel's return.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS.

At Lyric Hall to-night the Titania Social Club will give an entertainment, followed by a recep-tion and dance. Eugene P. Moore, of 335 East Twelfth street, fell tyerboard at 4 a. m. to-day at One Hundred and Phirtieth street and Hariem River, and was rescued by Policeman Edward A. Costa. William Wolf, of 716 East Sixteents street, was held in the Essex Market Police Court to-day, charged with bruisily beating his wife Kate last night on the head with a frying-pan.

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William Mulligan, twenty-seven years old, of
No. 226 East Fifty-seventh street, was run over by
s Boit Mne car at Pifty-ninth atreet and Teuth avenue last night and his leg was broken. He was
taken to the Presbyterian Hospital.

John Higgins, of SIT East Seventy-fourth street,
and John McGrath, of 449 East Eightfeth street,
were held in the Harlem Polloe Court to-day for
stealing lead pipe from a newly erected house in
Eighty-fourth street, near Avenue A.

John L. Earl, of 200 East One Hundred and Pifth lags.

Heary M. Hurd, who has been mysteriously missing since last Sunday, which was the morning of his wedding day, returned to-day. He states that he was chloroformed by two men and kept in an unconscious condition until yesterday. The police are investigating the affair.

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